

House Resolution 737

By: Representatives Tumlin of the 38th, Morgan of the 39th, Jones of the 44th, Teilhet of the 40th, Setzler of the 35th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating Turner Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Turner Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church was founded originally in
3 1854 in Cobb County; and

4 WHEREAS, the seeds which were sown by the loving and humble efforts of those devout
5 worshipers have blossomed into a landmark institution under the guiding hands and hearts
6 of its pastors, especially Pastor Kenneth Marcus and Assistant Pastor Cassandra Young
7 Marcus who answered the call to service and leadership in 1988; and

8 WHEREAS, the congregation of this church has compiled an unparalleled record of
9 constructive, compassionate, and humanitarian service which it demonstrates daily through
10 open minds, open hearts, and open doors; and

11 WHEREAS, the unmatched spiritual assistance offered by this church as it continues to grow
12 and lead people worldwide to experience the fullness of their ordained destiny in Christ Jesus
13 is a source of strength, inspiration, and direction for persons of all walks of life and from all
14 economic strata; and

15 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that this enduring example of God's message
16 of peace and love be recognized for its innumerable good works rendered on behalf of
17 persons in need and congratulated upon its growth which has most fittingly resulted in a
18 relocation of the church and facilities to its new location at the corner of North Marietta
19 Parkway and Fairground Street.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body congratulate and commend Turner Chapel African Methodist
22 Episcopal Church for the many, many decades of steadfast, unselfish, and loving service to

1 the people of this state and extend to the congregation their best wishes for continued growth
2 and service to the community.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
4 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Pastor Kenneth Marcus.